

## Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board

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MEMORANDUM TO: Mark T. Welch

General Manager

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SUBJECT: STATUS OF RECOMMENDATIONS: AUDIT OF THE

BOARD'S TRAVEL CARD AND TRAVEL PROGRAM

(DNFSB-15-A-05)

REFERENCE: GENERAL MANAGER MEMORANDUM DATED

JANUARY 28, 2016

Attached is the Office of the Inspector General's (OIG) analysis and status of recommendations as discussed in the Board's response dated January 28, 2016. Based on this response, recommendation 4 is now closed. Recommendations 1 through 3 remain in resolved status. Please provide an updated status of the resolved recommendations by September 5, 2016.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at 415-5915 or Eric Rivera, Team Leader, at 415-7032.

Attachment: As stated

cc: R. Howard, OGM

## AUDIT OF THE BOARD'S TRAVEL CARD AND TRAVEL PROGRAM

#### DNFSB-15-A-05

#### Status of Recommendations

Recommendation 1: Revise policies and procedures to route TDY vouchers to the

original travel authorization approver for review and approval

before sending to the OGM for review and approval.

Agency Response Dated

January 28, 2016: The revised policies and procedures to route TDY vouchers

will be finalized in the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter of FY 2016.

OIG Analysis: The proposed action addresses the intent of OIG's

recommendation. This recommendation will be closed when

OIG receives and reviews the final revised policies and

procedures that include routing TDY vouchers to the original travel authorization approver for review and approval before

sending to the OGM for final review and approval.

Status: Resolved.

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#### **Status of Recommendations**

Recommendation 2: Develop and implement a plan to periodically conduct

independent reviews of a sample of vouchers and travel card

transactions.

Agency Response Dated

January 28, 2016: The plan to periodically conduct independent reviews of a

sample of vouchers and travel card transactions is in process to be finalized in the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter of FY 2016.

OIG Analysis: The proposed action addresses the intent of OIG's

recommendation. This recommendation will be closed when OIG receives documentation and verifies that a plan to periodically conduct independent reviews of a sample of vouchers and travel card transaction has been implemented.

Status: Resolved.

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#### Status of Recommendations

Recommendation 3: Develop and implement a plan to periodically train travel

arrangers/timekeepers on the Board's travel policies so that they may complete the travel voucher in accordance with

these policies.

Agency Response Dated

January 28, 2016: The plan to periodically train travel arrangers/timekeepers on

the Board's travel policies, is in process to be finalized in the

3<sup>rd</sup> quarter of FY 2016.

OIG Analysis: The proposed action addresses the intent of OIG's

recommendation. This recommendation will be closed when

OIG receives documentation and verifies that a plan has

been implemented to periodically train travel

arrangers/timekeepers on the Board's travel policies so that they may complete the travel vouchers in accordance with

these policies.

Status: Resolved.

# AUDIT OF THE BOARD'S TRAVEL CARD AND TRAVEL PROGRAM DNFSB-15-A-05

#### **Status of Recommendations**

Recommendation 4: Train employees on the appropriate use of hazardous

weather leave.

Agency Response Dated

January 28, 2016: WebTA training which discussed the appropriate use of

hazardous weather leave was held for employees on June

10th, 16th, 18th, 24th, 30th and July 2nd.

OIG Analysis: OIG reviewed the WebTA Training and WebTA participants,

and determined that Board employees were trained on the appropriate use of hazardous weather leave. Therefore this

recommendation is closed.

Status: Closed.